



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/530,055                      Group Art Unit: 2858  
Filing Date: November 23, 2005              Examiner: Amy He  
Applicant: Thierry STARCK et al.  
Title: CONNECTING SLEEVE FOR A BUS BAR CONNECTION  
IN A GAS-INSULATED SWITCHBOARD SYSTEM  
Attorney Docket: 40770-000166/US

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

September 12, 2007

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 13, 2007, the due date having been extended two (2) months to September 13, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
<b>Total</b>	6	-	20	=	0
<b>Independent</b>	1	-	3	=	0

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